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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as indicated hereafter. It is believed that the following amendments and additions add no new matter to the present application.

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification starting on p. 11; paragraph 0039 as follows (where underlining “_” denotes additions and double brackets “[[]]” or strikethrough “-” denotes deletions):

“A partial dual-encrypted transport stream is then provided to the multiplexer 640 (FIG. 6) to be combined with other partial dual-encrypted programs. The combined partial dual-encrypted transport stream is then provided to the set-tops and decrypted according to the decryption methods (i.e., encryption method A or encryption method B) of the set-top. Similar to the first embodiment of the present invention, multiplexer 740 provides only a portion of the packer stream to the overall multiplexer 640 of FIG. 6. In this manner, when bandwidth becomes available in multiplexer 640, a signal indicating an increase in encrypted packets is allowable is provided to multiplexer 740 via feedback loop 650. The multiplexer 740 the relays this information of the remapper 750 via feedback ~~loop~~ loop 765, and the remapper 750 can then increase the percentage of critical packets, for example, from 2% to 6% of the packets that are considered critical.”